# **OUTWITTED**

N. H., Last Night and, Locked in

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Sheriff Perry tried to persuade the man to give himself up, but neither threats nor coaxing were of avail, so he kicked in the door of the room and was greeted with a fusilade of shots. Fortunately none struck him. Ford then jumped up, closed the door, and barricaded it with furniture and is determined to hold his fort against any one entering.

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Shortly before midnight Sheriff Perry, followed by over 100 citizens, and with all kinds of weapons from a 22-calibre revoiver to a double barreled shotgun, started for Ford's room on the top floor of the hotel. Sheriff Perry mounted the stairs with resolute steps, but his followers were willing that the other man should be first. Reaching the room, Perry pounded on the door and received no reply.

Shortly before this all the ammonia that could be found in Alstead had been poured into Ford's room in the hope that the sumes would overcome him. The sheriff pounded on the door again and called upon Ford to surrender or he would break the door down

Ford spoke in a calm voice and said:
"Oh, don't do that; I'll open it for you,"
"Will you give up!" said the sheriff.
Ford replied: "No, never, I will fight
to the death, I will never be taken alive. If you take me you will take my dead body,"

Then he cried in a loud voice: "Wouldn't you shoot a man who had insulted you!" "No," said Sheriff Perry, and then Ford yelled out again: "Well, I would, and if you come in here I'll plug you. I'll die fighting,"

### DRUNKEN MAN AND REVOLVER.

### Arrested in Crowd at Birmingham, Alabama, Yesterday.

Birmingham, Ala., Oct. 25.—President Roosevelt concluded a streamons day in Alabama last night by a two hours' visit to Birmingham, where his reception was

hearty and soul-stirring.

The day was not marked by any special incident save at Birmingham, where an intoxicated man in his excitement dropped a pistol from his pocket on the pave-The man was arrested.

On the President's arrival here Mayor Ward delivered an address of welco and the party entered carriages and began to march to Capitol Park. Thestreets were beautifully decorated and the ovation to the President was continuous. He stood in his carriage the whole way acknowledging the outbursts of enthu-

### St. Petersburg Tied Up.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 25.-The tie-up now seems complete, as the employes of all the railways have joined the strike. No trains are now running into or from St. Petersburg. The strike is rapidly preading among industrial concerns and threatens to become general.

Advices from Warsaw by 'phone say that the ferment caused by the strike is increasing there. Employes of all the railways except the Vienna line, have joined the strike. A number of Russian railway men are being scattered about the city, urging people and strikers to attempt a revolution. The agitation is growing so bold that troops have been called out, to hold the streets against strikers and to prevent demonstration.

Sad Case of Neglect of Child. Winooski, Oct. 25.- A sad case of ne gleet which resulted in the death of a child was revealed Monday at midnight when Dr. Hill was called upon to visit Frederick, the seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bylow of upper Main street. The child was in the Main street. The child was in the last stages of diphtheria and was practically beyond medical aid. Everything was done to save the boy but he died in about an hour. The runeral was held yesterday, interment being made in the cemetery near the Fanny Allen hospital. It seems the child had been ill for about five days, but the parents thought the

CLEMENT'S DAUGHTER A BRIDE.

Miss Anna Married to John Appleton

The maid of honor was Miss Margaret

N. H., Last Night and, Locked in

His Room, Defied Sheriff
and 100 Men.

Alstead, N. H., Oct. 25.—George Ford, who shot Fred Shartsleeves during an argument on the Hotel Alsted veranda, here last evening, and then barricaded himself in his room on the top floor of the hotel, defying the sheriff and a posse of hundred men all night, escaped to the woods at six this morning, by jumping thirty feet to the ground, while the guard under his window was at breakfast. The sheriff and posse are in pursuit. Ford has declared he will not be taken alive, and bloodshed is feared.

Ford and Shortsleeves met upon the hotel piazza shortly after 6 o'clock and had a few words, after which Shortsleeves turned and left him. As he did so, Ford pulled a revolver and shot him in the back just below the cellar bone, the bullet narrowly missing vital parts. Shortsleeves was immediately taken to his home in Langdon, where he now lies in a critical condition.

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roses. Festoons of the laurel and smilax were tastefully draped about the house. A bay window in the drawing room was festooned off. The receiving party stood there. The bride and groom were assisted in receiving by Mrs. Henry H. Knowles of Boston, the groom's mother, and Mr. and Mrs. Clement, parents of the bride. Elaborate refreshments were served in the dining room, Sherry and a corps of assistants from New York catering. Gloseia's orchestra of Albany furnished music at the house.

The bride is well known in this city

The bride is well known in this city having lived here practically all her life. The groom is a Boston man and is now associated with the St. Croix Paper Company at Spragues Mills, Me. There was an elaborate display of presents, amounting to many thousands of dollars.

Monia After a wedding trip Mr. and Mrs.

Knowles will reside in Calais, Me.

Among those present from a distance were Henry Appleton Knowles of Boston, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Appleton, Mrs.

George Appleton of Dever N. H. Mrs. George Appleton of Dover, N. H., Mrs. M. PARDONED FOR ANOTHER TRIAL and Harold Reed of Boston, Albert Bulkley of London, Eng., Edward Taft of New York, Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Clement and Allen Clement of New York, Charle Harding of Delham, Mass., Mrs. Richard Conover of Concord, N. H., Mr. and Mrs. John D. Parker and the Misses Parker of Hartford, Conn., Dr. Frederick Goodwin of Susquehanna, Pa., Orlando Lis-comb of Albany, N. Y. Some of the comb of Albany, N. Y. Some of the guests were entertained at the home of the bride, while others had suites at The Berwick,

### A HAPPY ANNIVERSARY.

### Mr. and Mrs. F. J. E. Harding of St. Albans Married Sixty Years.

Albans, Oct. 25,-Mr. and Mrs. F. J. E. Harding are quietly celebrating their sixtieth wedding anniversary to-day, a large number of friends having called at their home to extend congratulations. The worthy couple were pre-sented \$150 by friends, who, in some way unknown to Mr. and Mrs. Harding, learned that this was their anniversary

Frederick John Edwin Harding was born in London, Eng., in 1821. His wife, who, before her marriage, was Mary Ann Welch, was born in England in 1827. They were married in the parish church in the parish of St. Mary, Lambeth county of Surrey, London, October 23 1845, by the curate, the Rev. Geigh They came to St. Albans thir ty-four years ago. Ten children have been born to them, but only two are now living. They are Mrs. Ruth Geer and William Harding, with whom the aged couple reside, and by whom they are cared for, both Mr. and Mrs. Harding being blind. Mr. Harding has been blind twenty-one years, and Mrs. Hard-ing four years. They have seven grand-children.

### A 400-POUND BUCK.

### Edward Wright of Brandon Was Successful Hunter.

Brandon, Oct 25 .- While hunting Mon lay afternoon Edward Wright shot a deer which weighed 400 pounds. The Baird boys, of Goshen also shot a deer Monday while hunting in the Goshen

### 15 Hunting Licenses to Non-Residents.

Stowe, Oct. 25.-Rufus Talbott of Moscow shot a deer yesterday. It is But Men Drove Away From Barker, the first reported here. Game Commissioner Thomas has received word from Waterbury of the finding of a dead doe. Nothing is known as to who killed the

Mr. Thomas has received reports from 15 licenses issued to non-resident hunt-

### "Nothing to Fear From Me."

# LEFT HOME

Seen Yesterday After-

St. Albans, Oct. 25,-Mrs. E. W. Foster has disappeared from home, and has left no clue to her whereabouts. The woman came to this city from her home at Green's Corners yesterday afternoon to take a singing lesson. After taking the lesson she went to the home of her mother, Mrs. E. J. Clark, leaving there ostensibly to return to her home by the six o'clock train. She did not go home, and Mr. Foster started a search for her. the lesson she went to the home of her mother, Mrs. E. J. Clark, leaving there ostensibly to return to her home by the six o'clock train. She did not go home, and Mr. Foster started a search for her. No trace was secured last night, but this morning the husband got a note from the woman saying: "There will be no use to look for me, for you won't find me."

Mrs. Foster has two twin children, little girls eleven years of age. There is no reason known to account for her strange action. She has been in her usual health.

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## SEARCH FOR REMAINS OF GEN. IRA ALLEN

A Philadelphia Cemetery, About to Be Destroyed, Will Be Gone Over in Attempt to Find the Burial Place.

St. Johnsbury, Oct. 25.—The search for the remains of General Ira Allen, one of Vermont's founders, is to be resumed because of the intention to destroy the Free Quaker cemetery in Philadelphia, where the remains are supposed to lie. Previous to this time an effort had been made to locate the last resting place of General Allen. Gov. Bell has now chosen a committee to cooperate with a committee from Pennsylvania in the search. The Vermont committee is composed of the following: G. G. Benedict of Burlington, W. H. Crockett of St. Albans and F. T. Alfred of Newport.

### New York State Man Goes Through a Peculiar Legal Action.

Albany, N. Y., Oct. 25 .- To enable the Connecticut authorities to try for murder a convict who has just begun an eight years' term at Auburn prison for nother crime, Governor Higgins yes terday granted a full pardon to Charles Bassett. At the same time, however, he complied with the request of the governor of Connecticut for a requisiion and the minute Basset steps out of prison he will be seized and taken to

New Haven for trial. Bassett, who is a young man, and whose home is supposed to be in Brook-lyn, was sentenced to eight years' imrisonment last March for grand larceny and burglary. Just before this time, on February 27, Thomas Lockwood, an aged farmer, had been robbed and brutally murdered at his home in Westbury Conn. Two men were arrested charge with the crime, and recently they made confession before the grand jury which implicates Bassett. Believing that Bassett's conviction is sure, the Connecti ent authorities have not hesitated to ask for his pardon and take the chance of his escaping punishment for the more serious charge.

Such a method as this as almost without precedent, although not un-

### ODD FELLOWS AT WATERBURY. Good Attendance and An Interesting Programme,

Waterbury, Oct. 25 .- A good attendance and an interesting programme con-tributed largely to the successful carry-ing out of the annual meeting of sub-ordinate lodges of district No. 7, I. O. O. F., which was held here last evening under the auspices of Mentor Lodge, No 51, of this place. The lodges in the district are: Montpelier, Waitsfield, Northfield Barre, Randolph, Cabot, Waterury, Plainfield, East Barre, Warren and Willimstown and nearly all were well represented. Several of the grand lodge officers and other prominent Odd Fel-lows from different sections of the state were present, among them being Grand Marshall F. W. Jackson of Barre, Grand Master O. E. Chilson of Burlington and District Deputy G. W. Wallis of Waits-

### FIRED AT ROBBERS.

# N. Y. With Their Booty.

Niagara Falls, Oct. 25,-Masked rob bers blew open the safe in the private bank of Harvey Hoag at Barker this morning, and escaped with their booty. Banker Hoag heard the explosion and hurried to the bank in time to see the robbers drive away in a stolen rig. Hoag fired three shots at them but they did not return the fire and drove away at malady nothing serious and did not call a physician. Health Officer Burdick was sent a personal message to President the village. The amount taken is not placed the house in quarantine.

Berlin, Oct. 25.—Emperor William has a gallop. Before robbing the bank the his administrator on the ground that a gallop. Before robbing the bank the notified of the case and immediately Loubet of France, expressing his friend placed the house in quarantine.

Berlin, Oct. 25.—Emperor William has a gallop. Before robbing the bank the numicipality of Winooski was liable. In the opinion read by Judge Watson the judgment of the county court was the ball was a feature.

# **VERMONT**

Stickney Acted as Toastmaster -Supreme Court Opinions.

The 27th annual meeting of the Ver-

H. Powers, E. H. Deavitt, J. E. Cushman, F. P. Southgate and R. A. Lawrence. President Powers appointed the fol-lowing committe to investigate pro-posed change of court system, A. A. Hall of St. Albans, J. E. Cushman of Burling-ton, J. H. Senter of Montpelier, W. B. C. Stickney of Bethel, T. W. Moloney of Rutland, C. C. Fitts of Brattleboro, John Young of Newport

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The treasurer reported the indebtedness reduced \$200. By amendment proposed by Frank Pumley of Northfield county clerks are now eligible to mem-

bership.

The following new members were admitted to the association: W. N. Batchelder of Bethel, C. S Palmer of Burlington, Benjamin Gates of Montpelier, and Eugene M. Blake of St. Albans.

John W. Gordon of Barre yesterday afternoon introduced a resolution which was unanimously adopted, extending the sympathy of the association to Judge Henry R. Start in his continued illness and recommending to him that he hold and recommending to him that he hold his commission as judge during a vaca-tion in the hopes that his valuable services may yet be restored to the

Although none of the speakers committed themselves to any definite plan, the general trend of the remark, was to the effect that two courts, a supreme court and a trial court, would be the easiest way out of the difficulty that now confronts the court business of the

On motion of Col. A. A. Hall it was voted that the incoming president of the association, when he is elected today, shall appoint a committee of seven mem-

State," Attorney General C. C. Fitts of Brattisboro; "The Court," Judge George M. Powers; "The Bar," C. S. Palmer of Hogan of St. Albans; "The Bar of Montreal," E. T. Surveyer of Montreal; "The Laws of Digestion," Robert Roberts of Burlington.

### More Decisions by Supreme Court.

Supreme court yesterday afternoon nade decisions as follows: ounty case of Frank F. Marcy against Chester F. Parker, trover, the judgment of the lower court was affirmed in which a verdict was rendered for the plaintiff to recover \$280.86. Chester S. Parker vs. Frank F. Marcey, a companion case to the former, petition for a new trial, the opinon by Judge Watson dismissed the petition with costs.

defendant because of the misconduct of a juror. The case was pending before the late Chief Judge Taft at the time of his death. The opinion by Judge Powers reverses the judgment and the ause is remanded for new trial,

Lyndon Savings Bank vs. the International company et at, from Caledonia county. In the lower court there was a verdict for the defendant to recover its costs. Judge Tyler read the opinion in this case and in his opinion judgment of the county court against the Interntaional company and the defendant Miller is reversed and judgment is given for the plaintiff bank against all three of the defendants. A note for \$5,000 was in question.

State vs. Eddio Barr and Frank Planfetti, from Caledonia county. The respondents were convicted of a joint attempt of selling and were fined \$600 and costs. Chief Judge Rowell read the opinion in this case, in which the judgcent and sentence is reversed, the ver dict set aside and the cause remanded for a new trial

Roswell Belknap vs. Albert Billings, trespass, from Windsor county. In the lower court there was a verdict for the plaintiff to recover \$75 damages and costs. The opinion by Judge Haselton affirms this judgment.

William Carty, administrator of Fred Carty, vs. the village of Winooski, from Chittenden county. Fred Carty died from suffocation in the lockup at Winooski and the suit was brought by affirmed, the declaration was adjudged insufficient and judgment was rendered for the defendant village to recover its

State vs. Hiram Krinski, from Rutland county, known as the Jamaica ginger case. The entry ordered that there was no error in the proceedings and the respondent takes nothing by his exceptions. He was sentenced by Judge Munson to not less than three months and not more than three months and ten days in the house of correction at Rutland, without costs.

Hiram B. Wedge, administrator of the estate of Israel Guilmont, vs. the Central Vermont railway, from Washington county. A verdict for the plaintiff to recover \$2,000 was rendered at the March term, 1904. The opinion by Judge Tyler reverses the judgment on this verdict and the cause is remanded.

A hearing was begun late in the af-ternoon in the Orleans county case of the United States of America, to the use of Standard Granite Quarries com-pany vs. the United States Fidelity and Guaranty company. Judge F. A. Alfred appears for the plaintiff and J. W. Red-mond for the defendant.

### NEW THEATRE OPENED.

### Hale's Playhouse, Managed by LaPoint, Presented "Why Girls Leave Home."

Hale's theatre, a new playhouse made Hale's theatre, a new playhouse made out of the dancing pavilion on Pearl' street, was opened to the public last evening with a performance of "Why Girls Leave Home," with a fair attendance. This theatre has literally sprung up in the night. Although plans were drawn some time ago, the work of remodeling was not started until this week. At midnight Sunday night a gang of workmen was set at work. A stars had to be built accept installed. week. At midnight Sunday night a gang of workmen was set at work. A stage had to be built, scenery installed, wiring done and seats placed. These and many other things had to be finished in two days, and it looked like an impossibility. But thirty men were put to work yesterday, and the last nail was driven at about the same time the curtain was rung up on the first act of the reason why girls leave their homes.

The hall will seat five or six hundred people, with movable, raised seats in

The hall will seat five or six hundred people, with movable, raised seats in the center, and three rows of benches down two sides. The stage is of necessity small, so that the hero rushing at the villain need take but one glide and there he is. The room is well lighted. The dressing rooms of the players are the old dance hall cloak rooms in the rear of the room, upstairs. The actors get to the stage by means of a closed passageway, just under the roof. Other changes will be made, such as raising the roof above the stage to allow cessity small, so that the hero rushing at the villain need take but one glide and there he is. The room is well lighted. The dressing rooms of the players are the old dance hall cloak rooms in the rear of the room, upstairs. The actors get to the stage by means of a closed passageway, just under the roof. Other changes will be made, such as raising the roof above the stage to allow of a taller drop.

Gilbertson's orchestra furnished music last evening. The building is owned by O. H. Hale, and the theatre is managed by W. W. LaPoint.

Mr. Ossola. If he was not then satisfied with the street commissioners' findings he could appeal. The matter was put over until after the meeting.

It was voted the city engineer be instructed to secure a plan that is no ported to be in the possession of Jerry Hutchinson of Williamstown and which relates to Brook and Seminary streets, and also that he be given definite instructions to thoroughly examine all the deeds of the property on the easterly and westerly sides of Seminary street, and endeavor to establish the lines thereon before the hearing on Nov. 4th.

### "BOTANICAL EVENING."

tion in all its bearings. This committee is to report to a special meeting of
the bar association to be held the first
day of the next May term of supreme
court.

President W. W. Stickney, in his anPresident W. W. Stickney, in his anThe rooms were very prettry
decorated for the occasion, the prevailing such a violation of the usy
were rendered by Mrs. M. M. Gordon and
Mrs. Richard Bradley which were enjoyed
by all. Prof. Carrol H. White gave a
by all p pointing of a committee to map out the work. President Stickney acted as toastmaster at the banquet, at which the following was the toast list; "The State," Attorney General C. C. Fife

flowers that grew in Germany.

Light refreshments of ice cream and wafers were served after which souvenir Burlington; "The Law, Its Revisers and Booklets of autumn leaves were present-levisions," Hale K. Darling of Chelsea; ed and a copy of Whittier's poems pre-"The Young Lawyer's Ideal," Geo. M. sented Mr. White.

### ENTERTAINED TEACUPS CLUB. Were Guests of Mrs. M. T. Page in Afternoon, and Athena Club in Evening.

Mrs. M. T. Page yesterday afternoon entertained the Teacups club and also the Tuesday afternoon whist club at her home. After two hours of pleasure at whist, Mrs. Page served, at 5 o'clock, a most beautiful banquet.
In the evening the Athena club enter-

tained the Teacups club to an illustrated botanical lecture given by Prof. White at the home of Mrs. Lebourveau on Washington street. The lecture was the opinon by Judge Watson dismissed the petition with costs.

G. L. Johnson vs. A. D. & D. D. Smith, from Caledonia county, was a motion to set aside the verdict for the defendant because of the misconduct of the Athenas.

## YOUTH DIES OF TUBERCULOSIS.

### Fred A. Freeman Who Was Student in High School.

morning of the death of Fred A. Freeman at South Natick, Mass., aged 16 years and 11 months. The lad had lived in this city at the home of his grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Thurston, him to make the street acceptable to nearly all his life until last December when he went to South Natick to live when he went to South Natick to live offer of \$10 for placing the posts. It with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Freeman. He was then suffering from tuberculosis which finally caused his mains on said street. death. He entered Spaulding high school a year ago but was obliged to give up his studies on account of his health. Mr. and Mrs. Thurston went to South Natick this noon and the body will probably be brought here for burial,

### Montpelier's City Physician Married.

Montpelier's city physician, Dr. George H. Parmenter, was today married to Miss Lillian E. Vail, daughter of H. D. Vail of Worcester, the ceremony being performed at the bride's home by the Rev. P. H. Carpenter of that place.

### Englishmen Butted the Ball.

Philadelphia, Oct. 25.-The Pilgrims, Sir Charles Kirkpatrick's English asso-ciation foot ball team, yesterday defeat-

# IS NAMED LIBERTY ST.

Aldermen Vote to Change Name Dewey Without Debate

### SEMINARY STREET AGAIN

Hale's Theatre Opened Without a License and Aldermen Refer Violation of City Ordinance to the City Attorney-Other Matters.

It is Liberty street now, and one matter of contention is disposed of. Alderman Milne made a touching appeal to the city council at its meeting last evening, saying he was being called up at all hours, night and morning, over the renaming of Dewey and Carleton streets, that much was being written about the question of names that wasn't true, and he hoped the board would settle the question without further delay. He moved that the streets be renamed Liberty street, and without discussion the council voted 5 to 2 that it be Liberty

street. Seminary street came in for some further consideration. S. H. Jackson as attorney for J. D. Ossola thought the attorney for J. D. Ossola thought the latter should be paid the expense he had been to in moving his house back from the street on Seminary street, in view of the agreement that had been arrived at between the council and Mr. Ossola. His bill for this was \$165. Alderman McKenzie stated that a hearing was to be held Nov. 4 on a resurvey and relocation of the street, and that damages, if any, would be awarded to Mr. Ossola. If he was not then satisfied with the street commissioners' findings.

# Hale's Theatre.

"BOTANICAL EVENING."

One of the Social Events of Season Given by Athena Club.

One of the pleasant social events of the season was the "Botanical evening" held by the Athena club at the home of Mrs. W. A. Lebouryeau last evening terial, made the place are extremely because the contract of the place over an auction room filled with all kinds of inflammable material, made the place are extremely because of the place are extremely bec

30x30 feet, at the easterly end of the Pavilion, in which it was proposed to store seats, and the other to roof in the open space at the rear of the Vermont Fruit Co.'s store. The applications were referred to the buildin spector and fire committee to investigate and report back.

## Various Street Matters.

The committee on streets reported on street signs not already supplied and placed, naming those missing and needed. The report was accepted and the signs will be ordered. The same committee reported numbers for Humboldt street, which were ac-

cepted and adopted. This committee, with the city gineer, reported on proposed new lines for Berlin street from North Main to the bridge over the river. The committee had met Mr. Stanyan representing A. F. Sortwell and talked the matter over. The railroad desired to straighten made no recommendations, but wanted instructions from the council. When the aldermen had adjourned and Mayor Barclay called them together in a council

ment to investigate and report on what Word was received in this city this the city already owns as a street. the city. It was voted to accept his

meeting the matter was referred to the

street committee and engineering depart-

The question of manufacturers along the river bank and Burnham street encroaching on the city's right of way was referred to the city attorney and street

committee to investigate and report.

It was voted the city engineer bring n plans for curbing corners for inter-

secting streets. It was reported P. D. Molla is building a block on Berlin street which evreferred to the ctiy engineer to survey

and report on. A permit was granted the Masons to hang on electric sign in front of the Bolster block during the week of their

Building Inspector Martin Riley re-ommended a permit be granted to Carto Merlo to creet a woodshed, and it was

Appropriations for the following de-Continued on Fourth Page.